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Petition for One-Month Extension of Time

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Sir:

On February 17, 2004, Appellants, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.191 mailed a timely Notice of Appeal which was received in the Patent Office on February 23, 2004. Thus, the usual time for filing the Brief ends April 23, 2004.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants hereby request a one (1) month extension of time, bringing the time to file the Brief to Sunday, May 23, 2004 and the Brief filed on Monday, May 24, 2004 along with this petition for one month extension of the time is believed to be timely filed. However, should the one month extension be determined to be insufficient, please charge any additional extension fees to deposit account number 11-0875.

Please charge the \$110.00 fee for this extension of time designated by 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1) to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875. This extension request is submitted in duplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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